

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
CORPORATION,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**Civil Action No. 04-11676-
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**KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTERS,
INC., BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF
MASSACHUSETTS, INC., and
REGENCE BLUE CROSS BLUE
SHIELD OF OREGON**

Defendants.

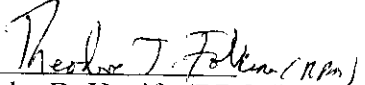
**STIPULATION OF PLAINTIFF AND DEFENDANT KINDERCARE LEARNING
CENTERS, INC.**

Plaintiff Children's Hospital Corporation ("Plaintiff") and Defendant Kindercare Learning Center, Inc. ("Kindercare") hereby stipulate and agree that Kindercare will have to and including August 27, 2004, to answer or otherwise plead in response to Plaintiff's Complaint, and to oppose Plaintiff's Motion to Remand.

Respectfully submitted,

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
CORPORATION,

By its attorneys,

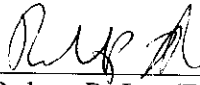

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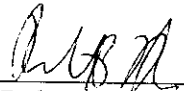
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the 17th day of August 2004, a copy of this document was delivered by first class mail to John D. Hanify and Theodore J. Folkman, Hanify & King, P.C., One Beacon Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02108, and to Michael J. Tuteur, Russell W. Beck and Michael R. Pontrelli, Epstein Becker & Green, P.C., 111 Huntington Avenue, Boston Ma 02199.


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